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CITYWIDE CLEANUP EVENT THIS SATURDAY; “CLEAN IT & GREEN IT” MOVES TO FRISCO COMMONS PARK

(April 21, 2005) The name and the location are new, but the mission remains the same – keeping our community litter free. Frisco’s annual citywide cleanup event, “Clean It & Green It” is this Saturday, April 23 from 8 a.m. – Noon. The staging area is being moved to Frisco Commons, 8000 McKinney Road.

Aside from a new name and location, the “buzz” surrounding this event is a new character, Buzz the Bee.

“The first 500, pre-registered volunteers will receive a limited edition “Buzz” pin from Rufus Recycles, who’s our mascot at Environmental Services,” said Pippa Couvillion, Environmental Services Manager. “You might say this is our way of saying ‘thanks’ for helping keep Frisco Bee-utiful!” added Couvillion.

Residents are encouraged to “chunk their junk” by bringing their unwanted items to Frisco Commons, where several large dumpsters will be located.

Acceptable, unwanted items include roadside and household trash; carpet; furniture, fencing, lawnmowers (must be free of gasoline and oil); metal and wood poles; grills; tiles; kitchen cabinets; and appliances. State law requires refrigerators, freezers and air conditioners must be tagged ‘freon-free’ by a certified technician.

At noon, registered volunteers will be treated to lunch, courtesy of Taco Bueno.

For more information about volunteering, call 972-335-5555 ext. 112.

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